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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION of:



MICHAUD

Appln. No.: 09/034,415

Group Art Unit: 1721

Filed: March 4, 1998

Examiner: L. Cross

For: COMPOSITIONS FOR DRYING SOLID SURFACES

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October 5, 1999

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This submission is in response to the Official Action of June 10, 1999. A Petition for a one-month extension pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) and the requisite fee pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(a)(1) are attached. Kindly enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks

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IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 3, line 15, remove "as" and replace with --a--.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly amend claims 1, 4, 6, 7, 11 and 13, as follows: